

ABSTRACT

In this application is the expression and
purification of a recombinant *Plasmodium falciparum*
5 (3D7) MSP-1₄₂. The method of the present invention
produces a highly purified protein which retains
folding and disulfide bridging of the native molecule.
The recombinant MSP-1₄₂ is useful as a diagnostic
reagent, for use in antibody production, and as a
10 vaccine.